

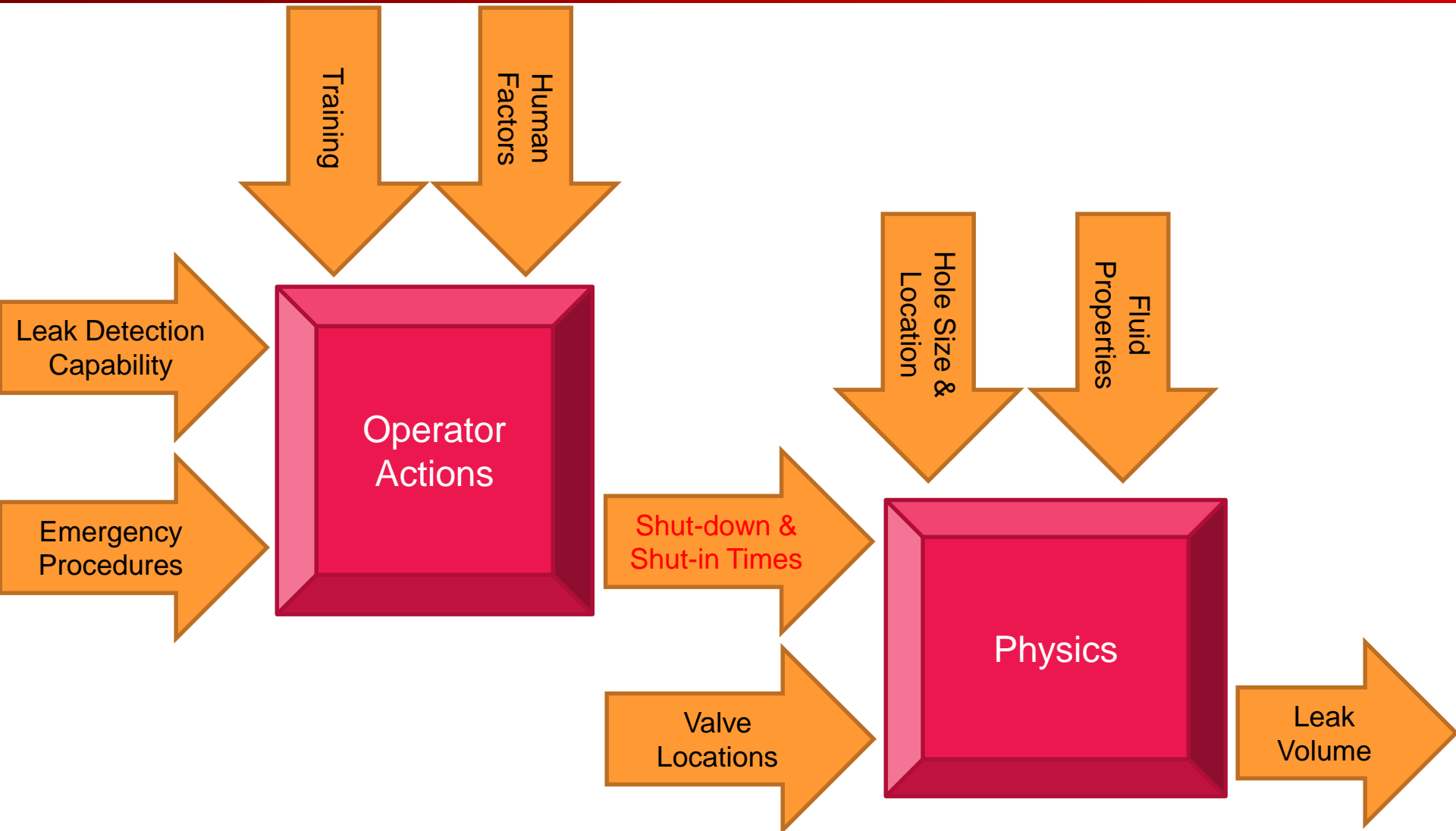


Emergency planning & response performance modeling

(human action impact on consequences)

- Estimating Operator Response Time
- Estimating Emergency Response Time

Factors affecting release volume



Typical Conversation to Solicit Estimates

Risk Analyst: "How long does it take to shutdown this pipeline?"

Operator: "I can't say. **It depends.**"

Risk Analyst: "Depends on what?"

Operator: "Depends on where the release happens, whether we catch it before CPM does, if we are distracted by another critical task,....There are just **too many variables.**"

Risk Analyst: "Can you give me your best estimate?"

Operator: "5 minutes? Wait, what is this being used for?"

Risk Analyst: "It will be an input into our risk model."

Operator: "In that case, 10 minutes."

Risk Analyst: "That seems like a very conservative estimate."

Operator: "No. There are some situations where it could take that long."



What is Monte Carlo Analysis?

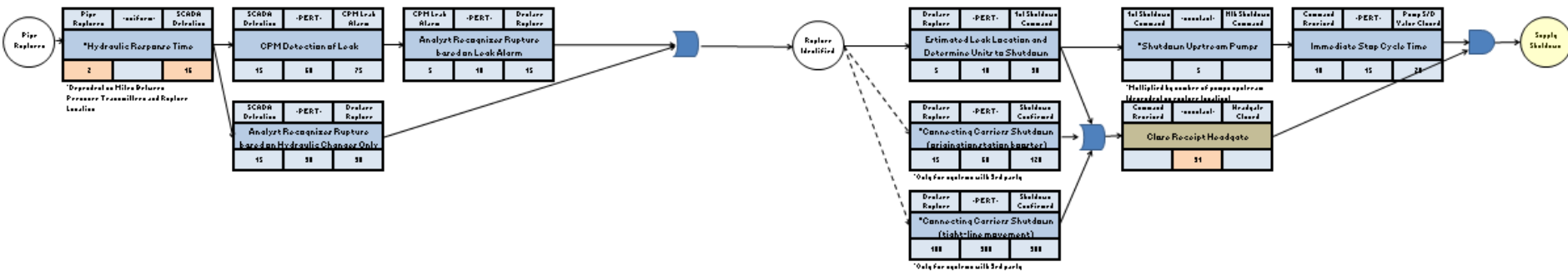
Monte Carlo methods (or Monte Carlo experiments) are a broad class of computational algorithms that rely on **repeated random sampling** to obtain numerical results. They are often used in physical and mathematical problems and **are most useful when it is difficult or impossible to use other mathematical methods**. Monte Carlo methods are mainly used in three distinct problem classes: optimization, numerical integration, and **generating draws from a probability distribution**.

General Process:

1. Define a domain of possible inputs.
2. Generate inputs randomly from probability distributions over the domain.
3. Perform a deterministic computation on the inputs.
4. Aggregate the results.

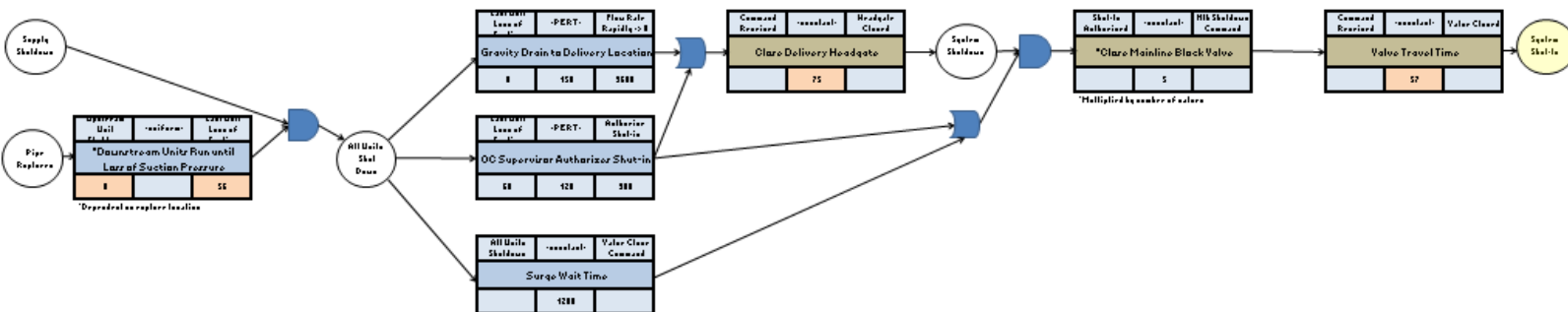
Sociotechnical Event Sequence

Shutdown Event Sequence

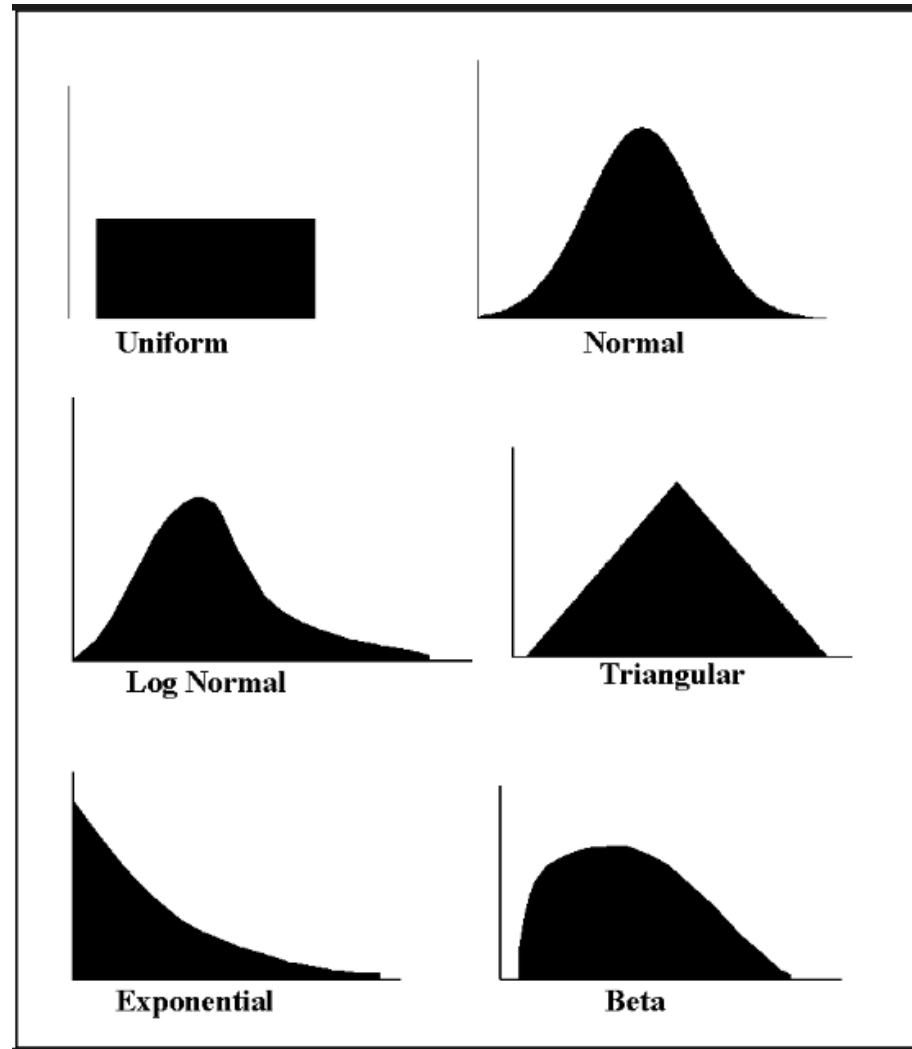


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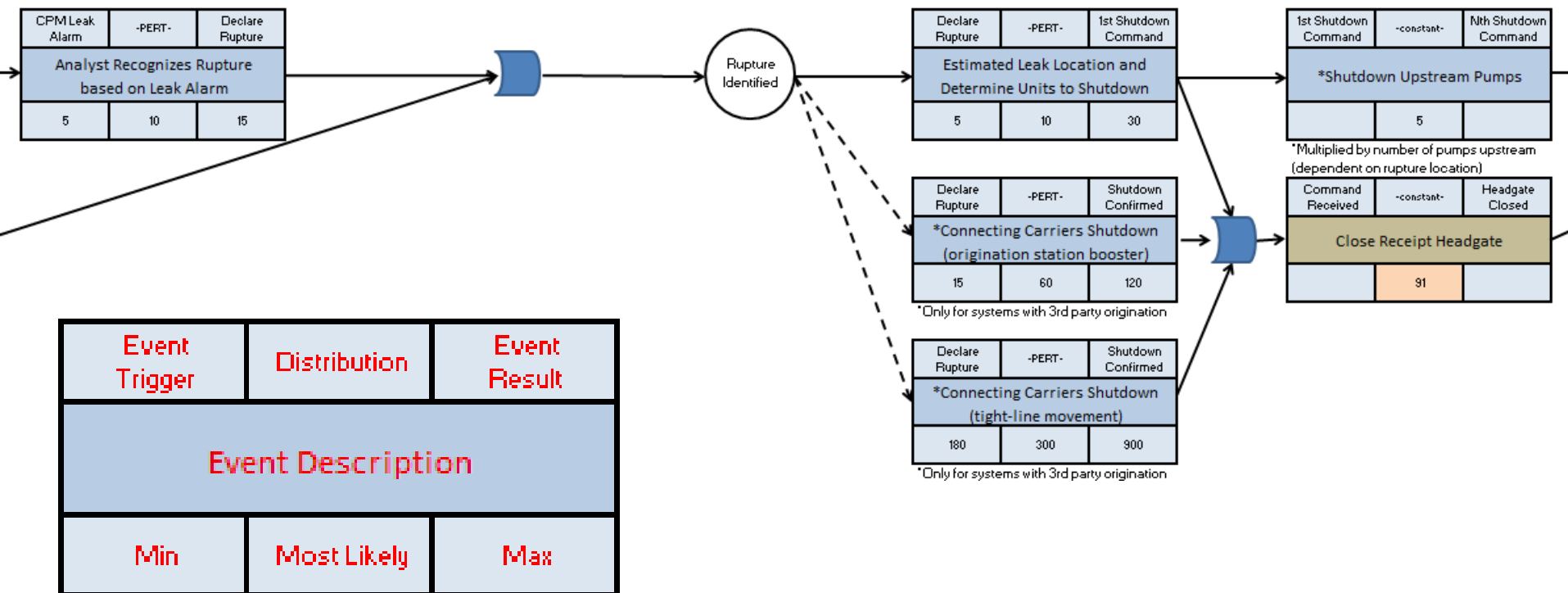
Shut-In Event Sequence



Probability Distribution Functions



Estimate PDF Parameters



Random Variables

Release location

CPM Time to Detect Leak

Analyst Recognizes Rupture based on Leak Alarm

Analyst Recognizes Rupture based on Hydraulic Change Only

Estimated Leak Location and Determine Units to Shutdown

Connecting Carriers Shutdown (origination station booster)

Connecting Carriers Shutdown (tight-line movement)

Gravity Drain to Delivery Location

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Uniform

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Beta (PERT)

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Non-Random Variables

Constants

Product Type

Segment Length

Nominal Diameter

of Mainline Booster Stations

of Mainline Isolation Valve

Receipt Headgate Valve Travel Time

Delivery Headgate Valve Travel Time

RMOV Valve Travel Time

Third Party Origination Booster

Third Party Tight Line Movement

Calculated Variables

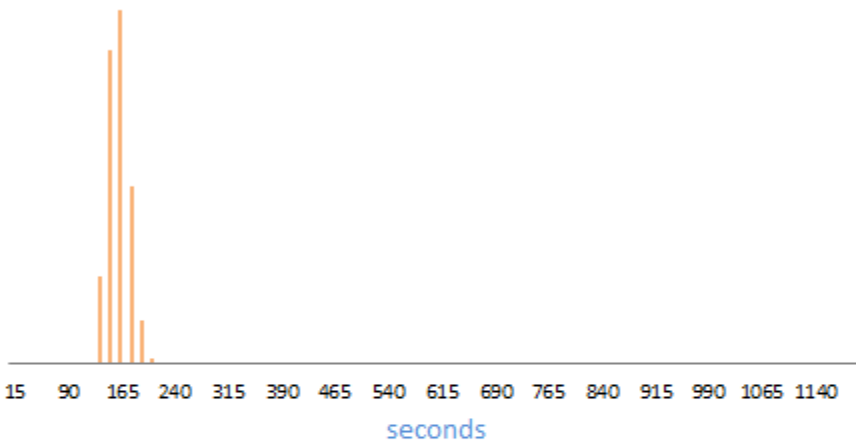
Speed of Sound in Product

Hydraulic Response Time

Downstream Units Run until
Loss of Suction Pressure

Results

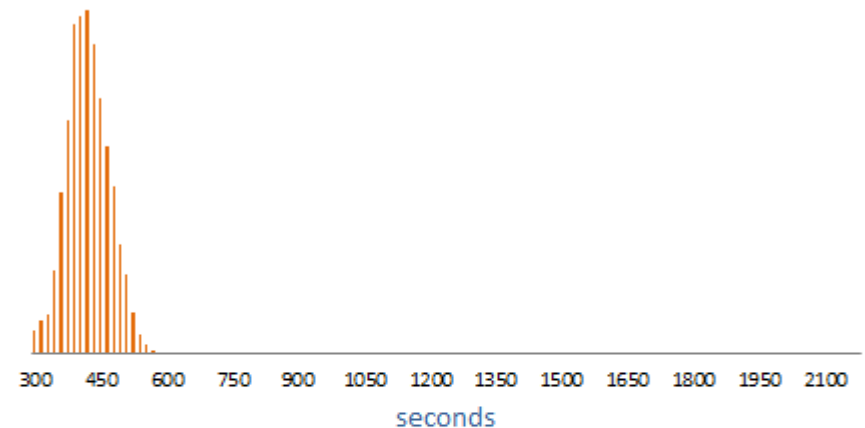
Supply Shutdown - Time Distribution



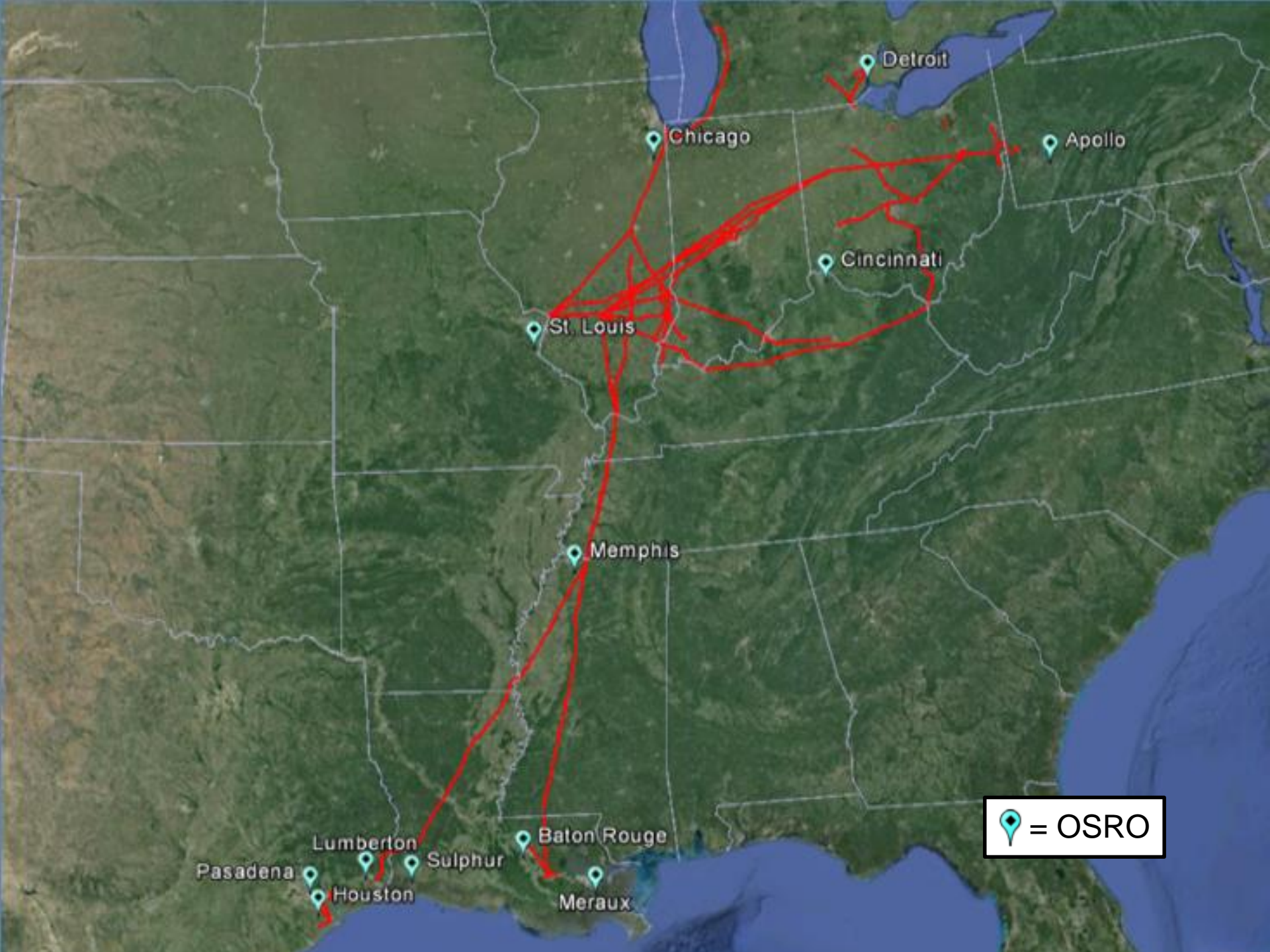
| Shutdown | | |
|------------|------------|-----------------|
| Response | Time | |
| P5 | 131 | (2m 11s) |
| P50 | 153 | (2m 33s) |
| P60 | 157 | (2m 37s) |
| P70 | 162 | (2m 42s) |
| P80 | 167 | (2m 47s) |
| P90 | 174 | (2m 54s) |
| P95 | 180 | (2m 60s) |
| P100 | 209 | (3m 29s) |

| Detected By | Percent |
|--------------------|---------|
| CPM Alarm | 6% |
| Hydraulic Analysis | 94% |

Shut-In - Time Distribution



| Shut-In | | |
|------------|------------|-----------------|
| Response | Time | |
| P5 | 337 | (5m 37s) |
| P50 | 411 | (6m 51s) |
| P60 | 424 | (7m 4s) |
| P70 | 438 | (7m 18s) |
| P80 | 455 | (7m 35s) |
| P90 | 478 | (7m 58s) |
| P95 | 497 | (8m 17s) |
| P100 | 581 | (9m 41s) |



Detroit

Chicago

Apollo

Cincinnati

St. Louis

Memphis

Lumberton

Sulphur

Baton Rouge

Meraux

Pasadena

Houston

 = OSRO

Random Variables

Release location
Spill volume
Day of the year
Day of the week
Time of day
OSRO preparation time
OSRO travel time
OSRO staging time
OSRO deployment time
River speed

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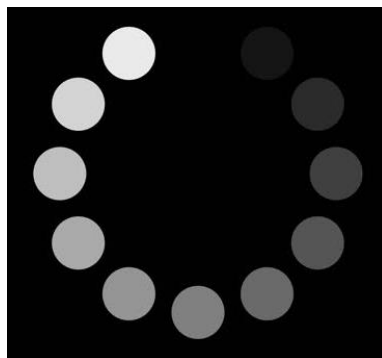
| Google Travel Times | | Lat | Long | Spill Volume | OSRO | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
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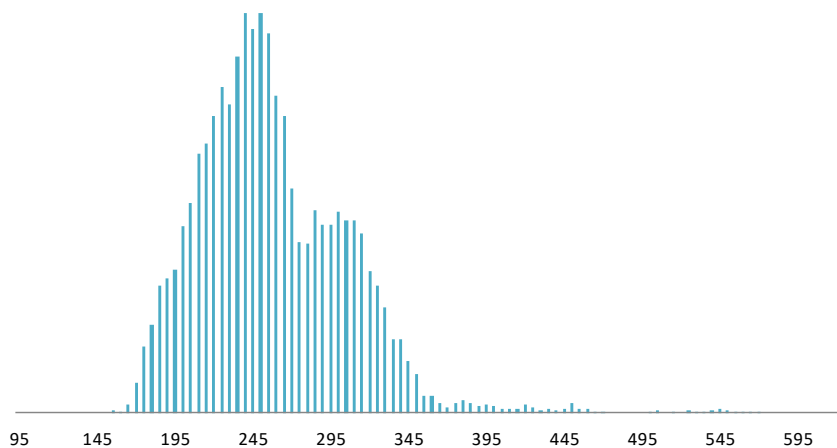
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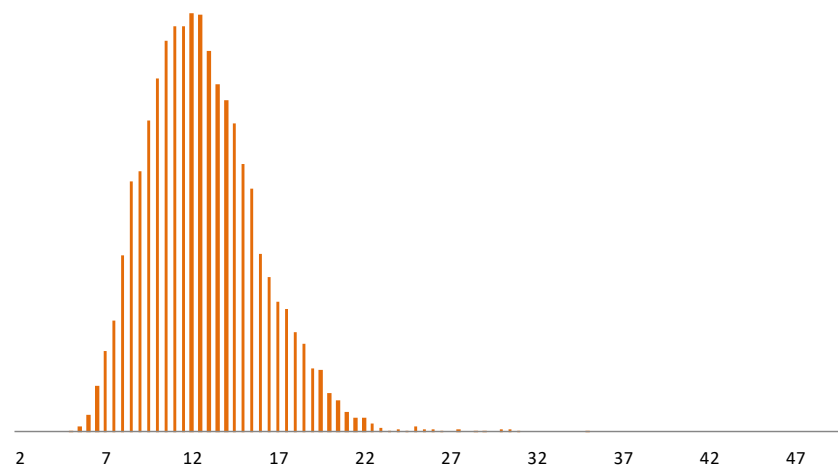
Response Time Distribution



| | Minutes | HH:MM |
|-----|---------|-------|
| Min | 156 | 2:36 |
| P50 | 253 | 4:13 |
| P75 | 290 | 4:50 |
| P95 | 337 | 5:37 |
| Max | 573 | 9:33 |

[Return to Inputs](#)

Downstream Migration Distance Distribution



| | Miles |
|-----|-------|
| Min | 5.3 |
| P50 | 12.6 |
| P75 | 14.9 |
| P95 | 18.7 |
| Max | 35.4 |